

The Government was pleased to enact into a Law by Scaling it with the Great Seal of this Province & Endorsing it with the following words viz. 3rd June 1714

On behalf of her Sacred Majesty Queen Ann of Great Britain & —
Will this be a Law Jo Hart

After which Mr Speaker & the rest of the Members returned to the House
and mett all present as in the afternoon.
ct Bill for limitation of Officers fees sent up to the Honble Council by
Major Woolford Captn Marialle Major Sprigg m^r John Whittington m^r
W^m Whittington Captn Edw m^r Vanderheyden Captn Hammond m^r Kenelm Biseldeine
Captn Greenfield John Surrall James Mackall & Captn Thos Dourva

They Return and say they Delivered the Bill
Capt Edw Lloyd Capt Holland Capt Coursey Capt Young and Capt Whittington
from the Honble Council delivered Mr Speaker the
Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this province from some aggrievances in
the execution of Suits att Law — This Endorsed —

June the 3rd 1714

Read in Council and will pass with the following amendment
viz fo: & instead of above two sterlins or thirty thousand pounds of Tobacco
it be expressed 26 sterlins or five thousand pounds of Tobo: but above the sume
of two hundred pounds of Tobo: or sixteen shillings & eight pence Current money
adding the words and give Judgm^t for the just Balance with the Cost of Suite
Signed & Order W Bladen Esq^r Com^r

ct Bill for relieving the Inhabitants of this province from some aggrievances
in the execution of Suits att Law

By the House of Delegates 3rd June 1714

Read againe with the Amendment^t and Ordered to be Engrossed

Signed & Order of Tho Mallettman Esq^r

This House adjourned till tomorrow Morning & a Clock

Die J^une 1^o July 1714

Then the House met again according to Adjournm^t present as Yesterday
A Motion being made and the question putt whether the Act for regulating &
ordering the Militia of this Province for the better Defence thereof shall
be revived adding the Clauses in the last Act for reviving the same made last
Sessions to endure for 3 years & the end of the next Sessions after the 3 years
described in the original by Majority of Votes

Ordered — This Com^r of Com^r of Law prepare and bring in this Morning a Bill for
reviving an Act entituled an Act for regulating and ordering the Militia
of this Province for the better Defence thereof adding the Clauses in the Act
for reviving the same made last Sessions to endure for 3 years and the end
of the Next Sessions of Assembly after 3 years

Bill Reviving and Continuing an Act of Assembly of this Province
Entituled an Act for the ordering and regulating the Militia of this Province
for the better Security and Defence thereof and for supplying some defects
therein was Read the first and second time by Especial Order & Ordered to be
Endorsed this 7th

By the House of Delegates Thursday 1^o July 1714

Read the 1^o & 2^o time by Especial Order and will pass —

Signed & Ord Tho Mallettman Esq^r

Sent by Capt Mackall Major W^m Colford Major Sprigg Captn Marialle Cap^t
Ennalls Captn Edw Captn Dourva and Captn Towles to the Honble Council

These Returns and say they Delivered the same